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The following ſhort ACCOUNT of the Kingdom of POLAND, *it is hop'd will not be unacceptable to the Readers, at this Seaſon, when there is a Dearth of News.*

I SHALL not here pretend to give a Hiſtory of any of the Kings of *Poland*, ſince it could never lead us to form an Idea of the Government of this Country. No Nation upon Earth has a more deſtructive Conſtitution than *Poland*; and no People are more fond of what they falſely call Liberty; a Liberty that is deſtructive of the Freedom of the moſt uſeful Part of the Community. The Power of the King is ſo extremely limited, that the Kingdom is juſtly ſtiled a Republick; the Authority of the Nobles ſo unbounded, that they may all be conſidered as Sovereign Princes, who have no Law but the Caprice of their own Humours, and the Subjection of the Peaſants to them is ſo extreme, that they are moſt abject Slaves.

Poland has ſcarcely any of thoſe Commodities on which Trade is founded, and which may be called the moveable Effects of the Univerſe, except the Corn, which is the Produce of its Lands. Some of their Lords poſſeſs intire Provinces; and oppreſs the Huſbandman, in order to have greater Quantities of Corn, which they ſend to Strangers, to procure the ſuperfluous Demands of Luxury. If *Poland*, ſays a celebrated Writer of the preſent Age, had no foreign Trade, its Inhabitants would be more happy: the Grandees, who would have only their Corn, would give it to their Peaſants for their Subſiſtance; and as their too extenſive Eſtates would become burthenſome, they would divide them amongſt their Peaſants; and every one would find Skins or Wool in their Herds or Flocks, ſo that they would no longer be at an immenſe Expence in providing Clothes: the Great, who are always fond of Luxury, not being able to find it in their own Country, would encourage the Labour of the Poor; and the Nation would then be more flouriſhing, at leaſt if it did not become barbarous; and that the Laws might eaſily prevent. How wretched muſt the Conſtitution of that Country be, in which Trade, the Source of Plenty and Happineſs to other States, is the Source of Poverty, and of the Miſery of the People!

The common People are without Property; they have no Poſſeſſions, nor can they have any, and being obliged to work three or four Days in a Week for their Maſters, the reſt of their Time is employed in procuring a miſerable Subſiſtance for themſelves and Families. All they poſſeſs is at the Will of their Lords; and if one of them gives a Piece of Land to a Peaſant, he orders his other Peaſants to furniſh him with a Cow, Hens, Geeſe, as much Rice as will ſerve him for a Twelvemonth, and to build him a Houſe. If they are ill uſed they bear it, and if treated with the leaſt Indulgence are thankful. Any Gentleman for killing a Peaſant pays only a Fine of about the Value of Twenty Shillings. A Lord condemns his Vaſſal to die, ſometimes on the moſt frivolous Pretences; and, what is no ſmall Aggravation of their Slavery, without any Form of Trial.

Their Councils, Aſſemblies, and Diets, where Order and Moderation ſhould principally preſide, are filled with Orators in Arms, and military Bluſterings. Scarce a Motion or Speech can be made but with Sword in Hand: Every one imagines that he has a Right to ſpeak firſt, or at leaſt to contradict the firſt Speaker, whence there ſoon ariſes a confuſed Clamour, which is only increaſed by the Voices of thoſe who would ſilence it. In the midſt of all this Confuſion the Affairs of State are laid before them, diſcuſſed, and at laſt, when after long Contentions, and furious Debates, they ſeem coming to ſome Concluſion, they are often prevented by the Expiration of the Seſſion, which cannot exceed ſix Weeks. At other Times, loſing all Regard to Decency, and giving way to a Fury incited by the Heat of Conteſt, and of ſeparate Intereſts, they lay aſide their Debates, and making uſe of their Arms, conclude in a Skirmiſh.

Thus Anarchy ſeems to be ſettled by the Conſtitution of the Country, and Slavery by the Liberty indulged to the Nobles.

When the Throne becomes vacant, the Archbiſhop of *Gneſna* ſummons a general Convocation of the Gentry to meet at *Warſaw*. Mean while Care is taken to guard the Roads from Thieves, and the Frontiers from Invaſions.

At the Time of the Election, the Diet forms an Act for the Security of their Liberties, which is ſtiled the *Pacta Conventa*, which the King, before he is Recognized, ſwears to obſerve, and again repeats the Oath at his Coronation. This is the Rule of his Government, and contains the Maxims which he is obliged to follow. As this may give ſome Idea of his limited Authority, we ſhall here give an Abſtract of the royal Capitulation, only obſerving, that other Articles are occaſionally added to theſe, according as particular Circumſtances may require; but the following are never omitted.

"That the King ſhall not appoint any Succeſſor, but "preſerve all the Laws for the Freedom of the Election; "that he ſhall pretend to no Right of coining Money, but "leave that in the Hands of the Republic; that he will "ratify and confirm all the Treaties made with foreign "Princes; that he will maintain the Tranquillity of the "Public; that he will not declare War againſt any Prince, "bring foreign Troops into the Kingdom, or ſuffer any to "go out, nor levy any new Troops, without the Conſent of "the Diet; that all Field-Officers, and Officers of the "Guards, ſhall be either *Poles*, *Lithuanians*, or the Natives "of thoſe Provinces depending on the Crown of *Poland*; "and all ſwear to be ſubject to the Grand Marſhal; that "he ſhall give no Man more Places than the Law allows; "that after a Place has been vacant ſix Weeks, he ſhall "beſtow it on ſome well-qualified *Poliſh* Gentleman; that "he ſhall not marry without the Conſent of the Senate, "who ſhall aſſign his Queen what Revenues they pleaſe; "that he ſhall regulate the Number of his Troops by Conſent of his Council; that he ſhall build no Fleet without "the Advice of his Senate; that he ſhall not diminiſh his "Treaſure in the Caſtle of *Cracow*, but rather encreaſe it; "that he ſhall borrow no Money without the Conſent of the "Diet; that he ſhall always adminiſter Juſtice by the "Advice of his Senators; that he ſhall be content with the "Revenue of his Predeceſſors; that no Strangers be introduced into his Councils, and that he ſhall beſtow no "Offices or Dignities upon them; that he ſhall not diminiſh "any of the Offices at his Diſpoſal; that he ſhall maintain "and defend all Rights, Liberties, and Privileges granted "by former Kings to the *Poles* or *Lithuanians*, or to any of "the Provinces that depended on theſe two Nations."

The King beſtows all Employments; but then they are enjoyed for Life; by which means thoſe on whom he has beſtowed them are rendered entirely independent of the Crown, ſince he cannot take away what he has once given. The King, though always of the *Romiſh* Profeſſion, ſwears to protect four Religions, the *Romiſh*, the *Proteſtant*, the *Greek*, and that of the *Jews*, for which the latter pay upwards of 12,000 *l.* a Year. From ſuch a Conſtitution as we have juſt deſcribed, it is not at all to be wondered at, that the Country is the pooreſt, and that by far the greateſt Part of the People, are the moſt miſerable of any in *Europe*.

LONDON, *October* 2.

THEY write from Algiers, that the Maſter of a Genoeſe Bark, who had ventured to put in there under Engliſh Colours, and a falſe Paſs, had been thrown into Priſon, and Circumciſed, by Order of the Dey, and his Veſſel confiſcated; which that Prince had declared ſhould be the Puniſhment of all ſuch Offenders; the Crew, conſiſting of ſeven Men, were made Priſoners.

According to private Advices from Hamburgh, a Report was current, that his Pruſſian Majeſty was actually making Diſpoſitions for bringing a powerful Army into the Field next Spring; but the ſecret Object of theſe Preparations were variouſly talked of.

Oct. 11. Laſt Friday a Number of genteel People of both Sexes, began to aſſemble at St. James's, in order to regale themſelves with Caudle and Cake. The Doors were open till Five, at which Time they were increaſed to many Thouſands, and thronged in ſuch a tumultuous Manner, that one Lady was almoſt preſſed to Death. The Battle-Axes were obliged to drive them all out, it being impoſſible (unleſs ſuch a Miracle as that of the Loaves and Fiſhes had been wrought) to ſatisfy the craving Appetites of ſuch a vaſt Multitude. This mortifying Diſappointment chagrined a prodigious Concourſe of Ladies, who thirſted for the Honour of having it to ſay, in future Times, that they had eat Cake, and drank Caudle, at the Birth of the Princeſs Royal of England.

Letters from Cadiz, dated Sept. 9, ſays, "The Advices from our Settlements in South America, which arrive here very regularly, by Means of the Packets eſtabliſhed for that Purpoſe, ſay, that every Thing there is in a State of perfect Tranquillity; ſo that what has been publiſhed in foreign News-Papers to the contrary, is falſe, and invented."

Oct. 14. Every Body is pleaſed with the additional Honour his Majeſty has conferred upon Lord Northumberland: It is a Diſtinction that will be well ſupported on all Parts. Titles dignify other Perſons: Theſe dignify Titles.

Whitehall, Oct. 11. The King has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Hon. Wills Earl of Hillsborough, of the Kingdom of Ireland, Soame Jenyns, Edward Elliot, George Rice, John Roberts, Jeremiah Dyſon, William Fitzherbert, and Thomas Robinſon, Eſquires, to be his Majeſty's Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantations.

Edinburgh, Oct. 8. On Monday laſt his Majeſty's Commiſſion came down, appointing the Right Hon. James Stewart Mackenzie, Eſq; Lord Privy Seal for Scotland.

Dublin, Oct. 5. It is talked here, that the Liſts of all the Penſions, Civil and Military, on this Kingdom, that have been granted for Lives and for Years, are to be laid before the Engliſh Parliament next Seſſion; as alſo the Enrolments of all the Patents, and his Majeſty's Letters for granting Civil and Military Penſions on this Eſtabliſhment.

WILLIAMSBURG, *Dec.* 11.

On Monday the 20th of October laſt there fell in Halifax-County an amazing Shower of Hail, which was preceded by a great Noiſe in the Air. Many of the Hailſtones were as large as a Pint-Bowl, and one meaſured five or ſix Inches long an Hour after it fell. The Cloud aroſe in the North-Weſt, and had its Direction to the South-Eaſt. The Trees are not only ſtript of their Leaves but of their Boughs and Twigs alſo, and appear more Naked than they would have done in the Middle of Winter. The Noiſe which preceded the Shower, and the Shower itſelf, which laſted near an Hour, were ſo dreadful that many People began to apprehend the laſt Day to be at Hand. It killed many Fowls, and ſome Hogs; (*It was the* LAST DAY *to them,*) and it is ſurpriſing it did not kill even Cattle and Horſes.

ANNAPOLIS, *January* 15.

Tueſday laſt arrived here together, Three Brigantines from *Whitehaven*, the *Brayton*, *John Harriſon*, the *Curwen*, *Charles Younghuſband*, and the *Anne*, *Henry Jacques*. They are Mann'd with Eleven Men each, were Charter'd by one Merchant, all Built by one Man, Clear'd out together at *Whitehaven*, Sail'd from thence in one Tide, never ſaw one another on the Paſſage till they met together at our Capes, Enter'd at the Cuſtom-Houſe here together, all came for Wheat, and Sail'd together from hence for *Baltimore*.

To be SOLD *by the Subſcriber, at his Shop in* ANNAPOLIS, *for Ready Money,*

EXCEEDING good Bohea Tea at 7 s per ℔. Green Ditto at 14 s. beſt *London* ſingle refined Sugar at 17ᵈ. per ℔ by the Loaf, *Philadelphia* Ditto at 16ᵈ. *Weſt-India* Rum at 4/6 by the Gallon, Molaſſes at 3 s. *Muſcovado* Sugar at 9ᵈ. 8ᵈ. & 7ᵈ. per ℔. that at 9ᵈ. is the very beſt Sort, Currans at 15ᵈ. and Raiſins at 10ᵈ. per ℔. Flour of Muſtard, Coffee, Chocolate, Ginger, Alſpice, Nutmegs and Cinnamon, Indigo and Fig Blue, *Florence* Oil, *Stoughton's* Elixir, *Bateman's* Drops, and *James's* Powders, *Caſtile* and *Philadelphia* Soap, Window Glaſs of moſt Sizes, *London* Steel, and a few other Dry Goods, on the moſt reaſonable Terms.

(ʷ3) Wᵐ. WILKINS.

Imported in the Snow Induſtry, *from* LONDON,

SAIL-CLOTH, CORDAGE, SEINE TWINE, and ſmall ANCHORS, to be ſold at their Store in BALTIMORE-TOWN, for Caſh, Bills of Exchange, or Country Produce, by

(4ʷ) BUCHANAN & MᶜGACHIN.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber, living near Benedict Town, *on* Patuxent *River,*

BETWEEN five and ſix Hundred Buſhels of very good WHEAT, for ready Caſh.

LEONARD HOLLYDAY.

MARYLAND, *January* 13, 1767.

THE Subſcribers continue to carry on their DISTILLERY at *Baltimore-Town*, where their Friends and Cuſtomers may depend on being conſtantly ſupply'd, on the moſt reaſonable Terms, with the beſt *AMERICAN* RUM made on the Continent; for which they will take Payment in Bar Iron, Flour, Pork, Wheat, Rye, *Indian* Corn, Pine Boards, Shingles, Heading, Pipe, Hogſhead, or Barrel Staves, if made according to the *Philadelphia* Staves, and cull'd. They have alſo to diſpoſe of for Caſh, or Bills of Exchange, beſt *Weſt-India* Rum, Molaſſes by the Hogſhead or Tierce, *Muſcovado* and Loaf Sugars in Barrels, beſt *New-England* Mackrel and Fiſh Oil. SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE.

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Patuxent, January 12, 1767.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Eſtate of *Suſanna Anderſon*, late of *Anne-Arundel* County, deceaſed, are deſired to come and pay off their Accounts; and all Perſons who have any juſt Demands againſt the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to make immediate Payment, to

ABSALOM ANDERSON.

CHARLES *County*, January 8, 1767.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, for Current Money, to the Highest Bidder, at Port-Tobacco, *on the Second Tuesday in* February *next*,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, on *Zachia Swamp*, containing 260 Acres, being Part of a Tract of Land called *His Lordship's Favour*. The Land is extraordinary good for Cropping, with some Meadow Ground, likewise very good for raising Stock, especially Hogs, as the Land borders immediately on the Swamp, on it is a good Apple Orchard of *Hughes*'s Crab, grafted, with several other Fruit Trees; there is the Shell of a Dwelling-House, calculated for 4 Rooms on a Floor, Kitchen and Quarter, with Brick Chimnies, and some other Out-Houses, such as Corn House, Stable, Dairy, Meat-House, &c. The Money to be paid at the Acknowledgment of the Land, and Dollars will be taken at 7/6, and other Coin in Proportion.

DANIEL JENIFER.

N. B. I have also for Sale, a Parcel of choice Country-born SLAVES.

LEFT with *William Digges* on *Patowmack*,

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A CASK, mark'd thus N -- F, containing Tea-Kettles, &c. &c. A

The Owner is desired to prove his Property, pay Charges, and take it away. (tf)

LEFT, by a Person unknown, at the Subscriber's House in *Annapolis*, Two Pieces of BOLTING-CLOTH. Any Person, proving his Property and paying Charges, may have them, on Application to SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

January 3, 1767.

ALL Persons having any just Demands against my Sister, *Mary Moore*, are desired to send them, properly authenticated, to me, or to Mrs. *Caton*, at *London-Town*. I shall, on the 2d Day of *February*, sell off all the Negroes, Stock, Wheat, Corn, and every Thing on the Plantation, and Household Furniture belonging to my Sister, at her late Dwelling-House near *London-Town*.

(w6) STEPHEN WEST.

ANNAPOLIS, *January* 6, 1767.

AS many of the Adventurers in Messieurs *Rivington* and *Brown*'s LOTTERY have neglected to apply for their Prizes, since the Drawing of the said Lottery, and most of the Prizes for the Southern Colonies being now deposited with me, I take this Method to inform the said Adventurers, that such Prizes as remain in my Hands are ready to be delivered when called for; and, as I am fully authorized, I hope it will not be taken amiss, if at the same Time, I shou'd earnestly require those Gentlemen who still remain in Arrears for Tickets, to settle their respective Accounts with me immediately.

(14) THOMAS B. HODSKIN.

Annapolis, *January* 1, 1767.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, on very cheap Terms, for Cash, at the Store lately kept by Mr. Bennett Chew, *the following Goods*, viz.

VARIETY of Broadcloths, *Irish* Ratteens, Worsted Breeches Patterns, Stuffs, Poplins, Crapes, Thread, Sattins, *Irish* Linens, Cambricks, Checks, Osnabrigs, Mens Shoes, and best Milled Hose, Cane Spirit, best *West-India* Rum, *Madeira* Wine, Molasses, White-wine Vinegar, Loaf and *Muscovado* Sugar, Hyson and Bohea Tea, Coffee, Raisins and Currans, Rice, *French* Barley, Anchovies, and all Sorts of Spices, with sundry other Articles too tedious to insert.

(13) JAMES NEVIN.

N. B. He keeps a COOPER at Work, and will supply all Persons that may want Jobs done in that Way, very reasonably.

OXFORD, *December* 5, 1766.

JUST IMPORTED from LIVERPOOL,

A NEAT Assortment of Yard, ¾ and ½ wide white *Irish* Linen, white and brown 4/4 wide Sheeting, Yard, ¾ and ½ wide *Manchester* and Home made Check, Hempen Osnabrigs, Dowlas, Nails, Strong Beer, &c. &c. And to be sold reasonably, by Wholesale, for Cash, Bills at short Credit, by

(4t) THOMAS BRERETON.

Baltimore-Town, *December* 20, 1766.

RAN away from *Kingsbury* Furnace, in *Baltimore* County, last Night, Three Convict Servant Men, *viz.*

JOHN FRYER, by Trade a Wheel-wright, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, dark brown curled Hair, fresh Complexion, had on and took with him the following Things, one Castor and one Felt Hat, a blue grey broad Cloth Coat, red Jacket, blue Duffil Breeches, one Pair of light coloured Plush ditto, blue grey Stockings, one Pair *English* Falls, one Pair Country made Pumps, one white Shirt of *English* Linen, several Oznabrig Shirts, one or two silk Handkerchiefs, and several other Things unknown.

SAMUEL SEARSON, a lusty well made Fellow, fresh Complexion, down look, about 28 or 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, wears his own dark brown Hair, had on and took with him a pretty good *English* Castor, and one Felt Hat, one of them bound round with black Binding, several pretty good white Linen Shirts, one Pair of Buckskin Breeches, one light coloured Kersey or Drab surtout Coat, double breasted, and Hair Buttons, one Pair good black ribbed Stockings, and one Pair dark plain ditto, one Pair *English* Pumps, and two Pair *English* Falls, nailed in the Soles, one Pair square Steel, and one Pair Brass figured Buckles, 2 Oznabrig Shirts, Cotton Jacket and Breeches, and several other Things unknown.

THOMAS NORTH, a tall stout Fellow, thin Visaged, pale Complexion, short brown Hair, sour down look, about 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, about 28 or 30 Years of Age; had on and took with him, one Pair of old Leather Breeches, one Pair of old Cloth ditto, one Pair of Cotton ditto, one Cotton Jacket, one Spotted old Swanskin ditto, one Dowlas Shirt, 2 Oznabrig ditto, 2 Pair of dark coloured Stockings, one Pair of them ribbed, *English* Falls, one pretty good Felt Hat, and several other Things unknown.

It is supposed the above Servants are gone by Water, and have all got forged Passes.——Whoever apprehends them, so that they may be had again, shall receive, if within 10 Miles from Home, 20*s.* if 20 Miles from Home, 40*s.* and if out of the County, £. 3 for each, and if out of the Province, £. 5 each for *North* and *Searson*, and £. 10 for *John Fryer*, with reasonable Charges if brought to the said Furnace, to be paid by

(3w) FRANCIS PHILLIPS.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 29th Day of this Instant January, *at the House of Mr.* Henry James, *in* Baltimore-Town, *for Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange*,

A TRACT of LAND lying on the Great Falls of *Gunpowder*, and about 12 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, called *Cobb Hills*, containing about 900 Acres, the greatest Part of which is as good as any in the Country, proper for either Farming or Plantation Business. There is about 200 Acres cleared, with a Dwelling House, and convenient Out-Houses thereon, an Orchard of choice Fruit Trees, 2 or 3 good Streams, and convenient Situation for a Furnace, &c. The whole is well Timbered, and remarkably healthy.

Also another Tract in said County, called *Tibbs's United Inheritance*, lying on *Middle River* Neck, containing by Patent 640 Acres, chiefly surrounded with Water, is very well Timbered, and has good Improvements thereon. With very little Expence, this Land may be made as good a Farm as any upon the Continent, and produce considerable Profit to any Person who would give their Attention to the Improvement of Land; besides it is remarkable for the Great Rock Fishery, and wild Fowl, in the proper Season.

About 90 Acres of Land adjoining to *Baltimore-Town*, which will be sold together, or in Parcels of 10 or 5 Acres, as is most suitable and agreeable to those who intend to purchase.

The noted and well known Tavern where Mr. *Fegg* formerly lived, and is now kept by Mr. *Henry Slamm*.

The House and Lot formerly belonging to *Thomas Clendening*.

Also the House, and Part of the Lot, late the Property of *Thomas Bosfield*.

(6t) THOMAS SLICH.

TO BE SOLD,

A COMMODIOUS BRICK HOUSE, with Cellars, Kitchen, Stable, &c. in *Westminster*, near the Town Gate. Any Person inclining to purchase, may know the Terms, and Title, apply to

(w6) ROBERT COUDEN.

Piscataway, *Dec.* 6, 1766.

WHEREAS *William*, *Mary*, and *Frances Herringham*, the Children of *William Herringham*, late of *Greenwich*, in the County *Kent*, did, about 25 Years ago, leave *England*, and go to some Part of the *West-Indies*, and, as it is believed, afterwards go to some of the Northern Colonies in *America*: This is therefore to give Notice to them, if the said *William*, *Mary*, and *Frances Herringham*, or the Surviver or Survivors of them be living, or to their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, if dead, that by applying by Letter or otherwise, to the Subscriber at *Piscataway* in *Prince George*'s County, *Maryland*, they will hear of something greatly to their Advantage: Or if any Person can give Information where any of the said Persons, if living, now reside, or if dead, when and where they died, and where buried such Person shall be genteely rewarded for their Trouble, by applying as above, to

(6m) WM. RUSSELL.

ANNAPOLIS, *January* 8, 1767.

THE Land heretofore advertised by the Subscriber, in this Gazette, No. 1107 and 1108, not being sold at the Time therein mentioned, the same will be exposed to Sale, upon the Premises, on Friday the 30th Instant.

JOHN DUCKETT.

ANNAPOLIS, *January* 7, 1767.

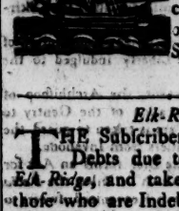
THE Subscriber being out of Employment, would be glad to engage with any Gentleman of the Turf, to keep running Horses, having had a great deal of Experience, and given many Proofs of his Skill and Abilities in that Way, hopes that he will meet with Encouragement from all true Sportsmen. He likewise professes Farriery in all its Branches; and there being so many Impositions on the Public from superficial loquacious Coxcombs, whose Cant, though deemed by the Credulous, in nothing but the Oracles of old petrious Delusion, while Imposition is learned, nothing passes but Impertinency and barren superfluity of Words, and wonderous Knowledge and Elocution. Any Gentleman who may incline to Favour me with their Commands, either as Farrier or Groom, may depend upon having their Business performed with Fidelity, by *Their humble Servant*,

MICHAEL WALKER.

ALL Persons that are any Way indebted to the Estate of *Ann Pearman*, of the City of *Annapolis*, deceased, are desired to make Payment, and those that have any just Claim against the said Estate, are desired to make them known to

THO^s. HYDE, Administrator.

To be SOLD, FREIGHTED, or CHARTERED, and if any Person be inclinable to Purchase, they may have her cheap, and Six Months Credit,



THE Sloop CHARLOTTA, a very good Vessel, and a Prime Sailer, upwards of 60 Tons Burthen, now lying in *Herring-Bay*. Any Person inclinable to Freight, Charter, or Purchase, may apply to the Subscriber at *Herring-Bay*.

SAMUEL CREW.

Elk-Ridge Furnace, *Dec.* 16, 1766.

THE Subscriber is authorized to receive all Debts due to Dr. *John Shippen*, late of *Elk-Ridge*, and takes this Method to inform all those who are Indebted to the said Doctor, that immediate Payment is expected.

(tf) JULIUS CLARE.

THE Subscriber takes this Method of informing the Public, That he has Open'd TAVERN, at *Patapsco* Lower Ferry, in the House formerly kept by Mrs. *Hughes*. He has provided himself with the best of LIQUORS, Clover and Timothy Hay, &c. &c. and shall use his utmost to accommodate to their Satisfaction, such Gentlemen as may chuse to call at his House.

(6t) JAMES KEITH.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER, very reasonably, for Ready Money only,

CHOICE JAMAICA SPIRITS, *Barbadoes*, and *St. Kitt's* RUM, by the Hogshead. Also a small Quantity of *Madeira* Wine, and Cyder, by the Barrel.

(tf) JAMES KEITH.

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